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NOTE.—"From" denotes time of arrival; "To" denotes time of departure.

FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS.
No. 14 Pass.... 9:05 p m	No. 9 Pass.... 3:45 a m
No. 1 Pass.... 11:50 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 3:15 a m
No. 42 Pass.... 10:05 p m	No. 43 Pass.... 4:05 a m
No. 2 Pass.... 11:50 p m	No. 5 Pass.... 3:05 p m
No. 70 Freight 5:45 p m	No. 71 Freight 6:00 a m
FROM QUINCY.	TO QUINCY.
No. 12 Pass.... 10:15 p m	No. 43 Pass.... 1:30 a m
No. 45 Pass.... 10:55 a m	No. 47 Pass.... 3:15 p m
No. 15 Acc.... 6:58 p m	No. 17 Acc.... 6:50 a m
No. 70 Freight 10:45 a m	No. 71 Freight 12:30 p m
FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.
No. 44 Pass.... 3:50 a m	No. 46 Pass.... 5:00 a m
No. 15 Pass.... 2:35 p m	No. 44 Pass.... 11:15 a m
No. 11 Pass.... 10:25 p m	No. 12 Pass.... 10:10 p m
No. 71 Freight 5:45 p m	No. 70 Freight 6:30 a m
FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass.... 3:35 a m	No. 2 Pass.... 12:15 a m
No. 5 Pass.... 2:20 p m	No. 4 Pass.... 11:25 a m
No. 47, from Monticello, 6:40 a m	No. 48 to Monticello 7:01 p m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 2 Pass.... 7:30 a m	No. 1 Pass.... 5:02 p m
No. 4 Pass.... 12:41 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 10:37 a m
No. 12 Pass.... 2:50 p m	No. 11 Freight 9:00 a m
No. 10 Freight 1:10 p m	No. 7 " 11:25 a m (Sunday only.)
No. 3, Champaign time, arrives, 10:00 a m	No. 4, Champaign time, leaves, 3:15 p m

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & SPRINGFIELD.

ARRIVE.	DEPART.
No. 1 Pass.... 3:00 p m	No. 2 Pass.... 11:05 a m
No. 3 Pass.... 4:05 a m	No. 4 Pass.... 10:54 p m
No. 13 Freight 9:00 a m	No. 12 Freight 6:20 a m
No. 11 " 7:30 p m	No. 14 " 6:30 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

WEST.	EAST.
No. 1 Pass.... 3:05 p m	No. 2 Pass.... 11:35 a m
No. 3 Pass.... 6:35 a m	No. 4 Pass.... 10:00 p m
No. 13 Freight 10:43 a m	No. 14 Freight 2:10 p m

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WEST.	EAST.
No. 1 Pass.... 12:05 p m	No. 2 Pass.... 11:00 a m
No. 3 Freight 5:30 a m	No. 3 Freight 4:54 a m
	No. 4, daily.... 7:30 a m

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Special Tax Notice.

In the matter of the Levy and Assessment of special taxes for the paving of East Main street, from Water street east to Broadway street.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the City Council of the City of Decatur, having ordered the paving of East Main street, from Water street east to Broadway street, in the City of Decatur, have applied to the County Court of Macon county, Ills., for the levy and assessment of the cost of said improvement, except the street and alley intersections and crossings, abutting upon the property according to frontage; and an assessment thereof having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereof will be had at the October Term, 1887, of said court. All persons desiring may then and there appear and make their defense.

Decatur, Illinois, Sept. 23d, 1887.

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My eyes are now in a splendid condition, and I am as well and strong as ever.—Mrs. William Gage, Concord, N. H.

For a number of years I was troubled with a humor in my eyes, and was unable to obtain any relief until I commenced using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine has effected a complete cure, and I believe it to be the best of blood purifiers.—C. E. Upton, Nashua, N. H.

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I suffered for a year with inflammation in my left eye. Three ulcers formed on the ball, depriving me of sight, and causing great pain. After trying many other remedies, to no purpose, I was finally induced to use Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and,

By Taking

three bottles of this medicine, have been entirely cured. My sight has been restored, and there is no sign of inflammation, sore, or ulcer in my eye.—Kendal T. Bowen, Sugar Tree Ridge, Ohio.

My daughter, ten years old, was afflicted with Scrofulous Sore Eyes. During the last two years she never saw light of any kind. Physicians of the highest standing exerted their skill, but with no permanent success. On the recommendation of a friend I purchased a bottle of Ayer's Sarsaparilla, which my daughter commenced taking. Before she had used the third bottle her sight was restored, and she can now look steadily at a brilliant light without pain. Her cure is complete.—W. E. Sutherland, Evangelist, Shelby City, Ky.

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As a powerful, invigorating tonic, it imparts strength to the whole system, and to the womb and its appendages in particular. For overworked, "worn-out," "run-down," debilitated teachers, milliners, dressmakers, seamstresses, "shop-girls," housekeepers, nursing mothers, and feeble women generally, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the greatest earthly boon, being unequaled as an appetizing cordial and restorative tonic.

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Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a legitimate medicine, carefully compounded by an experienced and skillful physician, and adapted to woman's delicate organization. It is purely vegetable in its composition and perfectly harmless in its effects in any condition of the system. For morning sickness, or nausea, from whatever cause arising, weak stomach, indigestion, dyspepsia and kindred symptoms, its use, in small doses, will prove very beneficial.

"Favorite Prescription" is a positive cure for the most complicated and obstinate cases of leucorrhea, excessive flowing, painful menstruation, unnatural suppressions, prolapsus, or falling of the womb, weak back, "female weakness," anteversion, retroversion, bearing-down sensations, chronic congestion, inflammation and ulceration of the womb, inflammation, pain and tenderness in ovaries, accompanied with "internal heat."

As a regulator and promoter of functional action, at that critical period of change from girlhood to womanhood, "Favorite Prescription" is a perfectly safe remedial agent, and can produce only good results. It is equally efficacious and valuable in its effects when taken for those disorders and derangements incident to that later and most critical period, known as "The Change of Life."

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ROTATION OF CROPS.

Some New Light on an Agricultural Topic of Great Interest.

Perhaps this subject engrosses the mind of the farmer as much as any other connected with his business. Many articles have been written on the subject, published in the agricultural journals, and discussed by the readers, and yet, to-day, many farmers are undecided as to which is the most successful course for them to pursue. In selecting a course for myself I bore in mind the fact that manure was of the most importance on the corn and root crops, from the fact that the roots of corn go deeper than those of other crops in my rotation. I therefore start out with corn the first year with all the manure, spread from the wagon, (not dumped in piles to leach out for a month or more, and then scattered) before plowing. Then after corn has been gathered I plow in the fall, if weather will permit, and sow in the spring to oats. After this crop is off, I seed it to wheat and clover. After allowing it to remain in clover two years I put it into wheat a second time, allowing all the fall crop of clover to remain and be turned in, and after wheat this time, I return to corn as in the start.

By this system, as the manure is turned under for corn, its roots generally find a portion, and when the piece is plowed for oats the rest of the manure comes to the surface to benefit the oats. After the wheat, which follows oats, the clover sowed with or upon it is cut the following spring and fall, but the second fall I plow the second crop of clover to get as large as can be turned under for the next crop of wheat. Some years it may be best to allow the seed to be taken from the clover, with success depending on suitable weather for threshing; but upon the whole, in a series of years, I believe the additional quantity of wheat resulting from the green crop plowed under will overbalance the clover seed crop. The potatoes being planted the same year with the corn, and at the ends of the corn rows, get the full benefit of the manure plowed under. I believe potatoes should be planted deep. By making four or five hills of potatoes at the ends of corn rows it is better to turn the team upon in cultivating.

This system is based upon the fact that the roots of corn and potatoes go deep, while those of oats and wheat branch out horizontally at no very great depth. Consequently by the time I get through the rotation the land is in better heart than when I commenced.—*Cor. Ohio Farmer.*

THE HIGHEST SUCCESS.

The Kind of Life Which Can Not Be Defeated by Outward Disasters.

There is nothing more inspiring than the story of a triumphant life; a life that overcomes great difficulties, works itself clear of sharp limitations, and issues at last in a large, free activity. It is an old story, but it remains the one story of which men never tire, but which seems to assuage a thirst of the soul. For the end of life is freedom and power, and those of us who miss these supreme results of patience and toil and character feel that we have been defrauded of that which was our due. The old stories of magic carry a deep meaning under their wild extravagances; they betray the mighty passion of men for supremacy over things material and over inferior orders of life. The man with genii at his command could build palaces in a night, and rejoice in a marvelous mastery over the forces against which so many of his fellows seem to measure their strength in vain. These magical successes are only dreams of the real successes which all men and women crave; which the noblest and most aspiring must conquer, or lose utterly the joy and sweetness of living. These successes are, fortunately, not external, though they are generally accompanied by visible trophies; they are achievements of character, and are independent of conditions and largely of human recognition. The man whose life, outwardly all defeat, is steadily expanding in its interest and sympathies, steadily growing in power to bear and suffer and be strong, has the blessed consciousness of coming into his kingdom. No outward disaster, no external obstacle or limitation, can ever defeat a true life; it can escape all these things as the bird escapes the perils of the snare and the net by flying above them. This highest of all successes lies within the grasp of every earnest man and woman, and it is rarely without attestations of its presence and value, even in the eyes of those who take small account of spiritual things. There is a force which streams from a noble nature which is as irresistible and pervasive as the sunlight. The warmth and the vitality of such natures, while they invigorate the strongest men and women about them, penetrate to the heart of clouded and obscure lives, and minister to their need. There is no success so satisfying as that which is embodied in one's character, and so can not be taken from him, and the influence of which, embodied in the character of others, is also indestructible.—*Christian Union.*

—Apples and Bacon.—Use tart apples and slice them without paring. Fry thin slices of breakfast bacon; when done, but not brown, remove them to a hot dish, fry the apples in the fat, and when brown drain off the fat, and serve with the bacon.—*Cincinnati Times.*

—Jumble.—Rub to a cream a pound of butter and a pound of sugar; mix with it one and one-half pounds of flour and four eggs; roll the cakes in powdered sugar; lay them on flat buttered tins, and bake in a quick oven.—*Indianapolis Sentinel.*

Is Consumption Incurable?

Read the following: Mr. C. H. Morris, Newark, Ark., says: "Was down with Abscess of Lungs, and friends and physicians pronounced me an Incurable Consumptive. Began taking Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, am now on my third bottle, and able to oversee the work on my farm. It is the finest medicine ever made."

Jesse Middlewart, Decatur, Ohio, says: "Had it not been for Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption I would have died of Lung Troubles. Was given up by doctors. Am now in best of health." Try it. Sample bottle free at John A. Swearingen's Drug Store. a5

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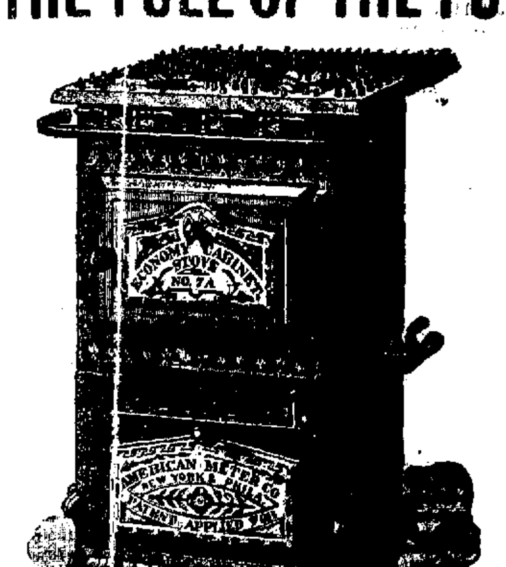

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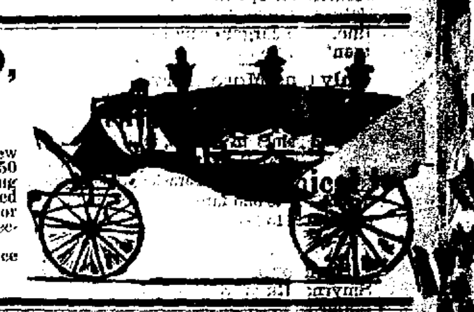

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GOLD [illegible] Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine, will receive free, full information about work which they can do, and live at home, that will pay them from $5 to $25 per day. [illegible]

Frisco Line Grand Harvest Excursions.

The St. Louis and San Francisco "Frisco Line"—will run three grand excursions to all points on their lines in Kansas, Arkansas and Texas, on [illegible] September 20th, and October 11th, respectively, at one single fare for the round trip. Tickets of thirty days' limit with stop-over privileges. Tickets will be on sale on dates above named at Union depot ticket office and at No. [illegible] North Fourth street, St. Louis, Mo., and in all probability at all principal railroad ticket offices throughout Illinois and Indiana. Frisco excursion trains leave Union depot, St. Louis, Missouri, on dates named, at [illegible] p. m. Remember the dates and ask but few questions but get your grip ready and be on hand. Ask your ticket agent to sell you tickets via Frisco Line. For further particulars apply in person or by letter to George Lower, traveling land agent, No. [illegible] North Water St., Decatur, Illinois. [illegible]

State Fair Excursions.

From September 24 to 30 the P., D. & E. railway will sell excursion tickets to Olney at one fare for the round trip from all stations, and in addition to regular trains will run specials from Decatur, Evansville and intermediate stations to Olney. Sleeping cars will run between Chicago and Peoria and Olney on night trains. Those wishing to spend the night outside of Olney will find the evening and morning special trains run just to suit them, and excursion tickets good going out in the evening and back in the morning will be sold at the low rate of one cent per mile. Folders giving full information and time of trains can be had of any agent of the P., D. & E. R'y, or [illegible] Hobbins, Gen'l Pass. [illegible], Peoria, Ill.

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THURSDAY EVE., SEPT. 29, 1887

THE New York *Sun* characterizes Mr Henry Watterson's assertion that Grover Cleveland will be nominated once more for the Presidency, "the argument of despair." The *Sun* further says that Dr Burchard's famous alliteration should be changed to read, Renomination Reform and Rats.

THE car in which Abraham Lincoln made the journey from Buffalo to Albany on his way to Washington for his first inauguration is still running on the Auburn branch of the New York Central railroad. The ceiling is decorated with the national flag, and at one end is a portrait of Lincoln and at the other one of Washington. The car, now known as 540, was new in 1861, and was decorated for the purpose of carrying the President It is still in good condition and runs regularly

NEW YORK *Tribune* The veteran Union soldier vote of the United States is probably 700,000 in number There are 350,000 members of the *Grand Army* of the Republic and not over half the Union veterans have joined that organization, but they will sympathize with its movements. With Mr Cleveland as the Democratic candidate for President, here would be a political element about as solid as the Solid South And the Democratic newspapers and partisans are engaged in a constant effort to enrage this body of voters, which is one of the chronic blunders of Bourbonism in politics

ST. LOUIS *Globe-Democrat* President Cleveland is not always felicitous to put it more clearly, he is often very infelicitous—in the use of words and phrases in his public and private correspondence In a letter to the happy father of triplets named in honor of himself and Mrs Cleveland, he says he has been informed of "the birth simultaneously of three children" We feel it our duty to pause to remark to the President that the word "simultaneously" means "at the same time," and that triplets are not born in that way—neither are twins

Inter-State Commerce Commission Docket

WASHINGTON Sept 29 The Inter-State Commerce Commission [illegible] to be in Washington [illegible] after October [illegible] cases, which will be [illegible] their action is as follows [illegible] October 21—The Arkansas [illegible] case, and the Daniel [illegible] *of Commerce* [illegible] ty, (N Y) milk cas[e] [illegible] Walla wheat case, [illegible] (Neb.) discrimination [illegible] and the St Leonard [illegible] alleged unreasonable [illegible] palace stock cars [illegible] C) colored passenger [illegible] (Ala) discrimination [illegible] coln (Neb) case, charg[ing] [illegible] and carrying another [illegible] fax (W [illegible]) wheat [illegible] Rock (Ore) wool case [illegible] and Oil cases [illegible] Commerce [illegible] ber 1—the trunk line [illegible] 8—The Texas [illegible] dressed beef cases

Purchase of Bonds and Pay[ment] of Interest

WASHINGTON Sept 29 [illegible] bonds by the Government [illegible] amount to [illegible] four and halves and [illegible] four per cent [illegible] amount purchased under acting [Secretary] Thompson's [illegible] applications for prepayment of interest on registered bonds amounted to $17,000, making the total to date [illegible] Up to the present time with the prepayment of interest and the purchase of bonds, about $28,700,000 have been released from the treasury, and the release of so large a sum, it is believed at the department, has afforded the needed relief and eased the stringency of the money market.

Contract Awarded

WASHINGTON, Sept 29 The Pennsylvania Construction Company of Harrisburg, was yesterday awarded the contract for ironwork on the public building at Pittsburgh, Pa at $22,600

Mangled by a Gin

LITTLE ROCK, Ark Sept 29 News comes from Crockett's Bluff yesterday to the effect that a man named Baugh, employed at the steam gin of Mr Mont[gom]ery, in Heaton township, met with a terrible accident He and Montgomery were raising the breast of the gin when in motion and somehow Baugh became entangled in the machine mashing his right leg so badly that amputation was necessary It is thought he will die

Crushed by a Train

SAN ANTONIO, Tex Sept 29 Frank Conway, a young man, whose mother lives at Dallas, was run over and killed yesterday morning at Flandert by a freight train on the San Antonio and Aransas Pass railway The dead man was stealing a ride in company with a negro boy, who shoved him off the car in a playful scuffle while the train was under full speed

MOREHOUSE, WELLS & Co are constantly receiving new patterns, in Wood, Iron and Slate Mantels, Vestibule and Hearth Tiles, Fire Brass Fenders, Fire Sets, and everything pertaining to this line. No larger or more complete assortment can be found elsewhere daw

Only One More Harvest Excursion

Remember, October 11th the Illinois Central Railroad will run one more Harvest Excursion to all points in Illinois and in Iowa as far as Cedar Falls, to LeMars, Iowa and to points in Nebraska Dakota and Minnesota Rate one fare for the round trip tickets, limited to 30 days. F J MERRY, s27 td Gen West Pass Agt

EXTRAORDINARY Bargains Five Dollar Smyrna Rugs reduced to $3 50 Four dollar rugs to $2 50
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THE Malleable Iron Hollow Ware made by the Home Comfort Range Co, is quite a curiosity It is like the Ranges indestructible. Stop at Morehouse, Wells & Co.'s and see this ware. It cannot be broken. daw

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GENTS' Scarfs, Ties and Bows, very handsome and cheap, at
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SPEAKING of school reminds us of what Ferriss & Co.'s ad. says in that connection. Read it [Aug 17-d&wtf

[IC]E—I am now delivering ice to all [parts] of the city. Leave orders at Jos. [...]'s cigar store, or telephone 176.
[...] dtf T. L. ANTRIM.

BY TELEGRAPH.

THE PARADE.

Monster Procession of Grand Army Men Through the Rain Yesterday.

The Dripping Patriots Cheered on Their March by Fifty Thousand Comrades on the Sidewalks.

At the Grand Reviewing Stand--General Fairchild and His Guard of Honor--Distinguished Guests.

ST LOUIS, Sept 29 "We will parade to-morrow if nobody appears but General Grier and myself," said Commander in Chief Fairchild night before last It rained It was the same nasty, disagreeable, penetrating rain that has been falling on St Louis since Monday, only yesterday morning these qualities were superlative For the order had been given to march, rain or shine, and accordingly the parade took place The veterans turned out slowly, [dis]comfited by the dampness, and all the different departments had formed, *many of the members dropped out* Maine turned out a pretty fair body of men at the formation, but only forty men were in line when the procession moved forward, only six of the New Jersey men appeared, but they formed a whole platoon by themselves and made themselves conspicuous by pulling their socks up over their trousers and improvising a banner inscribed the "Silk Stocking Brigade" The department of California did not turn out at all "Veterans come too high on the Pacific coast to risk their lives in such weather as this," said one member of that delegation The Kansas Division was comparatively small, considering the thousands who are attending the encampment from that State but its enthusiasm was out of all proportion to its size

At ten o'clock Grand Marshal Grier had formed his staff on Fourth street, just north of Washington avenue, and there they stood in the driving rain, waiting with *heroic patience* for General Fairchild and his staff to put in an appearance and after they had arrived there was another wait for the Missouri division, which was to take the right and which had not completed its formation until half an hour later At eleven o'clock all the divisions had formed and the procession moved forward

In spite of the rain the pavements all along the line of march were literally packed with humanity, and the streets looked like a sea of umbrellas At least fifty thousand veterans watched their comrades from the shelter of umbrellas or from convenient windows, and the ten thousand or twelve thousand who had the courage to march through the steady rain and on the muddy pavements were lustily cheered from one end of the line to the other A feature of the parade were the emblems of the foraging expeditions which, in the shape of chickens, pigs' heads and vegetables of every description were displayed from the tops of umbrellas or on sticks

It was precisely twelve o'clock when the squadron of police which led the column reached the grand "reviewing stand, and after a desperate attack on the crowd succeeded in clearing a large space *in front of the stand* Commander-in-Chief Fairchild then rode up, dismounted and took his position in the reviewing stand He had ridden ahead of the column and after he had taken his position for the review his special mounted escort, Logan Post of St Louis, came up and wheeled into position across the street facing the stand The San Diego band, the Springfield (Mass) battalion—special escort—and the staff of the commander-in-chief then passed by and down Olive street They were followed by General Grier and his staff, who wheeled into line directly in front of Logan Post Then came the carriages containing the distinguished guests, who took their places on the stand General Sherman accompanied by Mayor Francis alighted first and then came Ex-Vice-President Hannibal Hamlin with Mr Frank Gatenne Past Commander in Chief Merrill, C H Sampson with Governor and Mrs Sprague of Rhode Island, and General John L Otis, of Massachusetts, General John Pope, Lieutenant Governor Morehouse of Missouri Judge Usher of Kansas and other distinguished gentlemen were also on the stand

After the vacant carriages had passed on, there was a *break* in the column, and it was several minutes before the Missouri division came up In the space intervening, a veteran wearing a foraging cap, who had imbibed too much of the cup that cheers and who bore a branch of a maple tree, staggered gravely past without saluting the commander in chief He was loudly cheered by the crowd

In the meantime, General Sherman had taken a position in the balcony, and as the boys from Missouri began to march by cheer after cheer went up for "Old Camp" or "Uncle Billy" This continued as every post in the procession passed the stand The Missouri division headed by Frank P Blair post No 1, presented a fine appearance, notwithstanding their soaked uniforms The Illinois Kansas and Iowa veterans also made a fine showing in point of numbers. Nearly all the departments, in fact, turned out in comparatively large numbers and the parade, as a whole, was a very fine one Fifty four bands and drum corps were scattered at irregular intervals through the column, but there was a big hole in the side of nearly all of the bass drums before the reviewing stand was reached and the tenor drums sounded dull, with the exception of those used by the Minneapolis drum corps who had taken the precaution to cover their drums with oiled calico

A pretty feature of the parade was the singing by the different societies of the city on the stands located at the court house at Fourth and Morgan, at Fourth and Chouteau and at Fifteenth and Olive The soldiers as they marched by, were cheered with such songs as "Marching Through Georgia" "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp the Boys are Marching," "John Brown's Body" and similar well known war songs

The parade was a success, notwithstanding the disagreeable weather, and if the day had been clear the column would have been almost endless As it was it took an hour and a half to pass the reviewing stand

THE PRESIDENT'S TRAIN.

Magnificent Appointments and Luxurious Conveniences

NEW YORK Sept 29 The special train which is to carry President Cleveland and party on their Western trip is now being made ready at the Pullman Car Company's shops at Wilmington. The train is composed of three cars, the first two being simply a section of the extra Pullman vestibuled train, which is known as the New York & Chicago limited, via the Pennsylvania railroad, and the third car is Mr Pullman's private car, the Pullman palace car The first car, the Alferatta, is what is known as a "composite" car, the forward end being used as a baggage room Next to this is as elegant and well appointed a library and smoking room as would be found in any private house, a bath room and barber shop are also in this car The second is the sleeper, Velasco, built on the most approved model, with drawing-rooms and all the conveniences

The "Pullman palace car," which will be the last car on the train, will be devoted exclusively to the use of President and Mrs Cleveland It did similar service for General Grant during his administration and has frequently been used by distinguished foreigners as well as by President Arthur. The Pullman palace car was built by Mr Pullman some twelve years ago, and while it is by no means the Aladdin's palace that it has been described to be, it is a car in which luxury and good taste are happily combined The car is being refinished on the outside in the standard Pullman colors The rear end of the car is an observation room, and through its broad plate glass windows an excellent view can be had This apartment is upholstered in mahogany and plush Next to this are the dressing and sleeping rooms They are daintily furnished with white maple with large folding bed and all the latest conveniences The main saloon, which will be used as a dining and sitting room, is handsomely finished in oak with an old gold carpet and upholstery of rich terra cotta silk plush A fine parlor organ and writing desk are built at one end The forward end of the car is occupied by the kitchen, which contains every convenience which the heart of the most accomplished chef could desire

One of the striking novelties and greatest improvements of the train is the vestibules on the car, which practically bring the whole train under one roof, so that Mrs Cleveland can pass from one car to the another or can get her luggage in the forward compartment with as much ease as she can go from one room to another in the house The car is sixty feet long and is carried on trucks of No. 6 type, having six forty two inch paper wheels, with four twin elliptic springs and four equalizing springs each The equipment for electric lighting is put in by the Electric Accumulator Company There are storage batteries of thirty two cells under each car weighing one thousand pounds each, and capable of running the lights about eight hours The batteries will be charged from a dynamo located in the forward composite car, and power to run the dynamo will be obtained from the car axle The lamps and fixtures are of the latest and most approved pattern, and the whole train is a model of comfort

It is rather remarkable that the United States is the only great government which does not own its own cars for the use of its high officials England owns its carriages and engines. France has many ambulance, freight and passenger trains, but when the Chief Magistrate of the United States wishes to take a trip he buys his ticket and engages his own private train as hundreds of private citizens do every year, and as is befitting the President of the Republic Surely not the least striking of the characteristics of our democratic government is that any well to do citizen is enabled to travel as luxuriously as President Cleveland or any crowned head of Europe

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St Louis at Cincinnati, Louisvilles at Cleveland Baltimores at Philadelphia, Brooklyn at Staten Island

Pittsburghs at Chicago, Bostons at New York, Washingtons at Philadelphia

The World's Championship Games

DETROIT, Mich, Sept 29—The following is the schedule of the world's championship games to be played between the Detroit League and the St Louis Association clubs

St Louis, October 10 Chicago, 11, Detroit, 12, Pittsburgh 13 New York, 14 Brooklyn, 15; Philadelphia, 17, Boston, 18, Staten Island or Athletic grounds, Philadelphia, 19, Baltimore, 20, Washington, 21, Brooklyn 22, Cincinnati, 23, Louisville, 24

If the result be a tie the deciding game will be played at St Louis

A Great Lumber Monopoly

EAU CLAIRE Wis Sept 29—Frederick Weyerhouser, of Rock Island, and his Mississippi river syndicate, have bought out the Knapp Stout Company, on the Red Cedar river, for $750,000 The purchase is supposed to include saw mills, lumber and pine lands It is now beyond a doubt that the Weyerhouser syndicate will succeed in the evident purpose to practically control all the lumber and the billions of feet of pine in the Chippewa district The corner will doubtless be followed by an advance in the price of lumber It is expected here that the next purchase by the combination will take in the Rice Lake Lumber Company whose pine lands are on the Red Cedar and tributaries It is reported that an offer has also been made to N C Foster, of Fairchild, for his heavy interest

A Young Man's Ruin

HELENA, Mont, Sept 29—One C B Hayn s for [the] past two or three years in the employ of the St Paul *Pioneer Press*, selling paper and soliciting job work in Montana has left for parts unknown leaving numerous creditors in this city, as well as victimizing his employers for quite a large amount He removed to this city with his family from Fargo, Dak, about a year ago "Wine, woman and song" with an occasional turn with King Faro tells the story of the young man's ruin

Run Over and Killed

SEDALIA, Mo, Sept 29—J M. Walling, a stockman from Dupree, Tex, an employe of Drummer & Snyder, of Kiowa, Kas, was run over and killed in the Missouri Pacific yards in this city yesterday He was en route to Chicago with fifteen car loads of cattle The coroner's jury returned a verdict that deceased came to his death by accident and through no fault of the railroad employes The body was mangled frightfully and death was instantaneous The remains were shipped to Texas yesterday evening

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POLITICAL.

Convention of New York State Democracy at Saratoga Yesterday.

Irving Hall Delegation Excluded—The Ticket Nominated—Full Text of the Platform Adopted.

Massachusetts Republicans Meet in Boston, Declare Their Principles and Nominate Their State Ticket

SARATOGA, N Y Sept 28—The committee on contested seats did not conclude its work until nearly six o'clock this morning. The vote on excluding the Irving Hall delegates from the convention was unanimous The race for Attorney General will undoubtedly be very close, but this will be the only office for which any material contest will be made in the convention It has been decided to make the temporary organization of the convention permanent

The second day of the Democratic State convention opened cold and gloomy The Casino was very damp, and the delegates took their seats without removing their overcoats When the hour of ten o'clock arrived not more than half the delegates had reached the hall, but half an hour later nearly all the seats were occupied The delegates and spectators sat quietly for some time waiting for the chairman to appear, but as the delay became prolonged they began to manifest impatience

At 11 10 a m, upon the announcement by the clerk that Chairman Raines desired such members of the committee on resolutions as were present to repair to the head quarters of Chairman Dorsheimer, there were many expressions of surprise and disappointment In a few moments, however, Chairman Raines appeared and called the convention to order.

Senator Murphy, of New York, moved for a recess until 2 p m, but it was loudly voted down

The report of the committee on permanent organization, favoring making the temporary organization permanent, was adopted

On motion of Mr Murphy a recess of an hour was taken, the statement being made that the committee on resolutions would then be ready to report, and the convention at 11 35, took a recess for one hour

The convention reassembled at 1 12 p m Governor Dorsheimer, chairman of the committee on resolutions, presented the platform, which was adopted unanimously

The unnecessary federal taxation of the last fiscal year exceeded $100 000,000 Unnecessary taxation is unjust taxation Therefore the Democracy of New York demands that federal taxation be straightway reduced by a sum not less than $100 000 000 a year and also respectfully urge upon Congress that a measure shall be adopted which will in the language of the President's inaugural address relieve the people from unnecessary taxation having a due regard for the interests of capital invested and workingmen employed in American industries The taxes to be first reduced or altogether removed are those on imported raw materials which now assist and promote foreign competition with ourselves in our own markets, and prevent or hinder the sale of our surplus products of foreign markets Along with those taxes should be forthwith remitted or reduced the taxation which increases the cost to our wage earners of the common necessaries of life and the price of the common daily clothing of our people Besides those there are several hundred articles among the 4 182 articles now taxed which should be swept off the tax list, thereby diminishing the cost of collecting all our seaport taxes and casting away those which are petty needless and vexatious We urge an immediate enactment of the measure prepared by Mr Manning and Mr Hewitt, and reported to the last House by the committee of ways and means to systematize simplify and economize the machinery for the collection of the customs revenue and especially for making correct appraisements of foreign values wherever ad valorem rates of duty shall be retained

To all citizens born in foreign lands and to the multitude of our native citizens who desire to obtain and securely hold their own homes, the Democratic party has rendered inestimable service in reclaiming from speculative railway corporations the public lands which such corporations, by the corrupt aid of Republican administrators had seized, to be disposed of for their private gain Many million acres of these lands have been recovered by the Democratic administration and returned to the people for the use of actual settlers The Democratic party is the proved friend of all who have come to our country seeking to become partners in its welfare and citizens obedient to its laws

There is in America bread enough and work enough for all and the Federal laws now on the statute book for the promotion and protection of foreign emigration do not, in our opinion, if they shall be faithfully executed by the proper Federal and State authorities, require present enlargement or amendment

The Democracy of New York reiterate their support of the Civil Service laws of the United States and of the State of New York and their purpose to uphold them both In view of the radical change in administrative methods which grow out of the Civil Service laws, and the differences of opinion which exist in relation thereto we deem the subject one which might be appropriately submitted to popular vote,

Notwithstanding the decided increase in the ordinary expenditure of the Government, the faithful soldiers sailors and their families have been generously remembered, and the annual pension list under Democratic control shows payments in number and amount largely in excess of those during the years of Republican administration,

The Democracy of the State of New York deplore the wrongs inflicted on Ireland by the coercion and despotic power of the English government and express to the suffering people the earnest hope that they may speedily enjoy the blessings of home rule and of civic liberty

In order to secure the necessaries of life to our people and raw material for the employment of industries and building up of our towns and cities at the lowest practicable cost, we favor the continuance of the work of lengthening the locks and cleaning out the channels of the canals upon the plan recommended by the late Governor Seymour and in progress by the State The State of New York needs and will accept no Federal aid for the improvement and maintenance of its canal system

We favor a revised excise law applicable without unjust discrimination throughout the State We oppose all sumptuary laws needlessly interfering with the personal liberties and reasonable habits and customs of any portion of our citizens We believe that excess revenue like other proper local revenue should be applied in lessening local burdens and to the reduction of local taxation We assert the right of local self government for cities and demand that the Legislature shall provide general laws for the exercise of that right

We heartily approve of such legislation as shall give the fullest protection against simulated products to the farm and dairy interests.

The oppressive hours of labor demanded of their employes by many corporations deriving large profits from the use of the public streets, a land acquired for public use, should be so regulated by law that no more than ten hours should be required for a day's work and that all corporations should be required to pay their employes whose wages are by the day, once a week, and in money The Democratic party, the party of the people, which in the past has inaugurated and carried through all legislation of genuine and lasting benefit to those who work for their wages, is always ready to favor such legislation as may justly be required to protect and promote their interest and welfare.

New York State now enjoys the benefit of a Democratic State administration which has well fulfilled the trust committed to it by the electors in 1885 In every branch of the State Government under Democratic control the laws have been carried into general effect without favor or in justice and every right of the people has been maintained, wherefore we heartily indorse the administration of David B Hill, Governor of New York and pledge to him our full confidence and support

The Democracy of New York approve the administration of Grover Cleveland, President of the United States It has won the respect and confidence of all citizens without respect to party It has removed that apprehension of the dangers which would attend a change of party in the Federal administration, which had become a serious obstacle to the maintenance of our system of free government, depending upon the popular will It has brought back honesty and simplicity to the conduct of affairs It has checked the waste of public moneys and insisted upon their devotion to constitutional purposes It has effected a practical reform of the civil service It has maintained the National character for justice and forbearance in dealing with foreign countries Its management of the navy has been signally wise and prudent, and it has begun the construction of our naval establishment with a thoroughness that promises the restoration of our ancient prestige upon the sea wherefore we represent ing the Democracy of New York in convention assembled, again pledge to the President our strong and unwavering confidence and support

Nominations were then declared in order, Mr McNaughton presented the name of Frederick Cook for renomination as Secretary of State Mr Cook's nomination was then made unanimous

Senator Edward Wemple was nominated unanimously for Comptroler, as was Hon Lawrence J Fitzgerald the present incumbent, for Treasurer

H F Bissell, of Buffalo, named Deputy Attorney-General Charles F Tabor for Attorney General, and Mr Bulger presented the name of Hon Wm A Poucher, of Utica Hon A F Jenks seconded the nomination of Mr Tabor, claiming that Mr Tabor should be promoted, for he had proved himself honest able and efficient The Republicans had headed their platform with the mere representative of a great name Let the Democrats put on their ticket men able in themselves

Colonel Fellows seconded Poucher's nomination, and Peter Mitchell seconded the nomination of Tabor

Mr Timothy J Campbell, of New York, briefly expressed his preference for Mr Tabor

The vote by roll call was then taken The tedious process of calling the roll occupied nearly an hour, and resulted in 220 votes being cast for Tabor, against 157 for Poucher

On motion of C. N Bulger, the nomination of Mr Tabor was made unanimous amid loud applause

The names of the new State committee were then announced

J R Fellows nominated John Bogart, of New York, for State engineer and surveyor He vouched for his ability, integrity and long service to the party

Mr Herrick, of Albany seconded the nomination and it was made unanimous

On motion the State committee was empowered to fill vacancies if any should occur on the State ticket and also vacancies in their number

On motion of Hugh Grant, of New York, the thanks of the convention were tendered to Mr Raines for the efficient and impartial discharge of his duties as presiding officer Mr Raines thanked the convention for its expression of appreciation, and in return declared his obligation to members for their cheerful support of his efforts

Thanks were also tendered to the Jeffersonian Club of Saratoga for the entertainment of the delegates

On motion of Mr Murphy, of New York, the convention, at 4 04 p m, adjourned sine die

Massachusetts Republican State Convention

BOSTON, Sept 28—The corridors of the Tremont were filled with delegates to the Republican State convention at an early hour this morning The most of the discussion was the nomination for Attorney-General, which seems to have been practically settled in favor of Hon Albert E Pillsbury, of Boston The organization was completed this morning

The convention was called to order at 11 a. m, and temporary organization effected as follows Temporary chairman, F L Burden, secretaries, Robert Southworth and J O Wardwell.

The committee on permanent organization reported as follows President of convention, F. N Rockwell; first vice-president, Charles H Allen, with fifty others at large and two from each senatorial district, secretaries, R A. Southworth and eleven others

Mr Rockwell, on taking the chair, made a lengthy address, and at its conclusion the chairman of the committee on resolutions reported the platform

The following is the substance of the platform of the Republican State convention

The Republicans of Massachusetts in convention assembled declare their belief in a protractive tariff, advocate a liberal appropriation for the reconstruction of the navy, for internal improvements, for proper National co education and for pensions for disabled soldiers We recommend the reduction of internal revenue taxation, and declare that the safety of the ballot is a cardinal principal of the Republican party, we pledge ourselves to maintain the existing Civil-Service laws, demand the cessation of the compulsory coinage of silver, the passage of a National bankruptcy law the protection of the fishery interests, favor the restriction of the liquor traffic, the elevation of American labor; the increase of its wages and the promotion of its interests, avow unflinching defense of the present common school system, indorse the Republican administration of Massachusetts and that of Governor Ames

The resolutions were unanimously adopted

Senator Hoar then nominated Oliver Ames for Governor The nomination was made unanimous by acclamation

J Q A Brackett was unanimously nominated for Lieutenant Governor, H. B Pierce for Secretary of State, A W Beard for State Treasurer and C R Ladd for Auditor

An informal ballot for Attorney-General resulted in no choice A motion to take a [...] was lost, and the formal ballot resulted Whole number, 646, necessary to a choice, 824 A J Waterman received, 3[...]9 and his nomination was made unanimous.

Adjourned at 2 20 p m.

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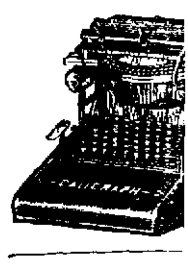

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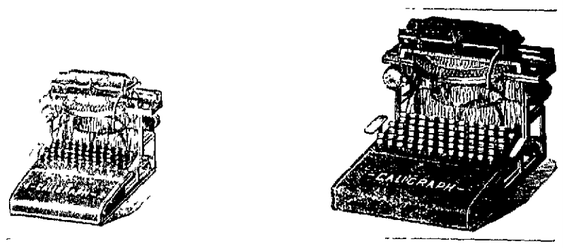

We have accepted the agency for Central Illinois for the "CALIGRAPH" Writing Machine, the BEST WRITING MACHINE on the market.

We will be glad to explain it in detail to any one interested in these useful articles. Investigate these machines and you will never try to do your writing (even though you have only a moderate business) with a pen. We also carry a full line of SUPPLIES, RIBBONS, Etc., for all writing machines.

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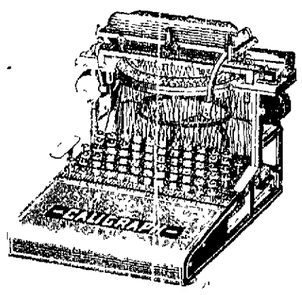

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Our business was established in 1855, thirty-two years ago, on the corner of South Main and Wood streets, where we are still located. The above fact proves conclusively that we have attained marked success in catering to the wants of the public, and should be accepted as a sufficient guarantee for the future. We can as before supply you with the best of everything in our line, and only ask for a continuation of the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, being satisfied that we can MEAT all demands made upon us.

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The Largest Stock, including

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Buyers of LADIES' FINE SHOES should not fail to see these goods.

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DAILY REPUBLICAN.

THURSDAY EVE., SEPT. 29, 1887.

BOOTH

OYSTERS!

Wholesale and Retail Agents,

DINGES & COOP.

LOCAL NEWS.

FANCY GLASSWARE—new designs and colors—at E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co's.

THE autumn leaves are falling fast.

TO-NIGHT—"Around the World in 80 Days."

THE city council will meet again Monday night.

TOM KEENE and Sol Smith Russell are coming.

HENRY MOOK is one of the hustlers for the street car line.

SEE the big play to-night—"Around the World in 80 Days."

IS constant demand—Shellabarger & Co.'s White Loaf and Daily Bread flour.

DECATUR is represented at the state fair at Olney by check-rower and other articles made in our city.

GOING fast—Round Oak heating stoves at Lytle & Eckels' hardware store.

SECURE your tickets now for the church choir concert at the opera house Monday night.

OYSTERS and celery at Hanks & Patterson's grocery, 143 South Water street.

THE ladies of the Alpha Literary Circle will meet Friday afternoon at two o'clock at the residence of P. M. Wikoff, 413 West Decatur street.

SELECT first-class groceries at Knode & Osborne's North Water street store.

JOHN TRAINER, late democratic county superintendent of schools, has squared his accounts, and has received a receipt in full from the county. The settlement was made without a law suit.

NICKEY butter is on sale every day at Smith & Son's grocery store.

REMEMBER, you can get the only *Booth* Oysters at Dinges & Coop's—wholesale and retail agents. [sep 58-dlm

POPULAR with the people—the celebrated White Foam flour.

THE conference appointments and proceedings will be found in the weekly REPUBLICAN to-day.

STOP at J. Lytle & Co.'s family grocery store in Opera block and get firstclass supplies.

THE front of Powers' Block is to be handsomely decorated in Milwaukee brick style by Myer & Son.

TELEPHONE to Niedermeyer. He will supply you with groceries.

THE Illinois Protective Association, representing the saloon interest, held its eighth annual convention on Tuesday at Rock Island. Bloomington was chosen as the next place of meeting, and Chas. A. Wacker, of Chicago, was re-elected president, and B. F. Maloney, of Chicago, secretary. The address of the president cautioned the society not to be overconfident touching the passage of a prohibitory law by the legislature.

A Straw.

On the Wabash train out of St. Louis for Decatur Al. Cochran took a vote for President, only old veterans being allowed to vote. The ballot to-day resulted:

Lincoln	84
Blaine	25
Sherman	25
Scattering	30

WHEN the system is debilitated by disease, it should be strengthened and renewed with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. This medicine invariably proves itself worthy of all that can be said in its favor. Sold by druggists and dealers in medicines. Price $1. Six bottles, $5.

Warrensburg Whispers.

C. H Faith shipped one load of wheat to Toledo last week that graded No 1

Mr Fred Scheuneman, our genial railroad boss, spent Saturday and Sunday in Green Valley visiting his parents and friends

Miss Laura Tubbs has returned home from Bement, where she has been visiting among friends

Our boys want to play ball "awful bad." They say they have challenged a number of clubs, but cannot get a game. What is to hinder Decatur from coming to play them?

A number of our people attended camp meeting last Sunday

On last Sunday evening Rev. M. D Hornbeck, of Quincy, preached a very eloquent and interesting sermon at the M. E. church DOCKET

WHEN symptoms of malaria appear, in any form, take Ayer's Ague Cure. It will prevent development of the germs of disease, and eradicate them from the system. A cure is warranted in every instance.

Millinery.

Our Fall and Winter Stock is now complete, and we are in constant receipt of desirable and stylish goods direct from New York. We guarantee first-class work, as we employ none but the best trimmers. An early call is solicited.

MRS. K. EINSTEIN,
sept16-d2w 110 N. Water St.

The Last Harvest Excursion.

The Wabash Railway will run an Excursion to all Western points in Kansas and Nebraska on October 11th at one fare for the round trip; also will run excursions to California, leaving Decatur October 5th and 12th and 19th and 26th. Rate, $75.00 for the round trip. For particulars, call on Wabash ticket agent, or Thomas Bivans, excursion agent, over postoffice, Decatur, Ill
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WE are in our new store, 146 Merchant street, and will sell Ladies' Hats and Trimmings lower than any other house in the city. W. C. DIMOCK.
sep22-d2w

THE Upright Piano is a specialty with *Haines Bros.*, and for beauty of finish sweetness and richness of tone, they are not surpassed by anything to be found in the world.—*New York Baptist*

Ladies,

Call and see the latest importations of choice Millinery Goods just received at Mrs. K. Einstein's, among which are all most desirable shades, changeable Velvets, glace Silks, glace Tips, the new shades of Telegram blue, and red, Cabbage green, Rose of Lebanon, and colors too numerous to mention. 16-d2w

Railway Collision.

This morning at an early hour there was an ugly rear-end collision of freight trains beyond the Sangamon river bridge, east of Decatur four miles. There was no one hurt and no great damage done, but the colliding locomotive was driven into the caboose. It took two hours to get the cars separated and the track cleared for the west-bound passenger and mail train. An accommodation train for Jacksonville was made up and sent on from Decatur.

Sales of Real Estate.

J. R. Mosser to E. W. Wood and W. O. McNabb, 120 feet, corner West William and Pine streets, $2250.

A. T. Risley to Mary E. Barnard, lot 7 in block 1, Cassell's 6th addition, $1500.

Jesse Luallen to Mary M. Nesbitt, lot 11, block 18, in original survey of town of Maroa, $200.

Alonzo S. Nesbitt to Jesse Luallen, lot in Maroa, $200.

Daniel Stookey to Mary C. Randle, tract of land in 3 34 in 16 and 17, 1 east, $5,600.

Michel & Harpstrite to Charles Noethlich, lots 3 and 4 in block 2, Michl, Harpstrite & Schlaudeman's addition, $250.

H. H. Bishop to Monroe Robertson, lot 7 in block 1, Shepherd's 2d addition, $3,000.

W. D. Chamberlain to E. L. Martin, 20 acres in 31, 16, 1, $200.

Coming Home.

Every train brings back veterans and visitors from St. Louis, and to-morrow night Goodman's band and members of Dunham Post, 141, will arrive. They have received many honors at the encampment, and through them Decatur becomes widely known among old soldiers and the people generally. Decatur headquarters were in court house yard, the most conspicuous point in the city, and thousands of visitors crowded the space to see the charter and books of old Post 1. The grand parade came off yesterday in the midst of the heaviest rain of the week, and half an hour later the clouds blew away and the sun shone brightly. The procession was two hours passing a given point.

A Quiet Wedding.

Miss Emma J. Strohm, daughter of Mrs. John Strohm, and Mr. Edgar H. Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Alexander, were quietly married yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride, No. 542 West Prairie street, Dr. E. W. Moore officiating, and at 3:15 after partaking of a wedding dinner Mr. Alexander and bride departed for St. Louis to be absent a week. The interesting ceremony was witnessed only by the members of the two families, Mrs. John Stauffer, of Dallas, Texas, and Ed. Strohm, of Albany, Texas, sister and brother of the bride, being present. The bride wore a traveling suit of dark green adorned with gold trimmings, hat to match. The young couple are favorites in Decatur society circles, and their friends unite with the REPUBLICAN in wishing them joy unlimited. They will reside at the Alexander farm residence northeast of the city, but on Fridays after October 7 will be at home to friends at 542 West Prairie street.

The Musical Event.

The Decatur people will have an opportunity of hearing a rare combination of artists of high degree in the Concert which will appear at the opera house on Monday night, October 3d. Miss Marian Harter, the young lady violinist, is bound to win world-wide fame, from the skill and ease with which she executes difficult passages on the violin. Mrs. Baldwin and Miss Porter are most highly accomplished performers on the Knabe Grand Concert piano, which they bring with them, and the Quintette as a whole is one of rare excellence.

THE protracted meeting at LaPlace, conducted by Rev. A. Wimsett is reported as growing in interest despite the bad weather. There have been several seekers at the altar and one conversion. Blessed results are promised. Rev. W. is an evangelist for the United Brethren church.

Police.

Two coal miners got full, funny and noisy this morning at the Wood street crossing of the Central road, and the police, after a struggle, landed them in jail. This forenoon they gave bond for their appearance before Justice Eyman for trial at 3 o'clock.

The Peter Halmbacher saloon was pulled last night for keeping open after hours. Hearing this afternoon before Justice Curtis.

IT is rumored that the Wabash is soon to pass out of the hands of Receiver McNulta. The General has put the road on a paying basis, and now the bondholders are said to be howling for a reorganization. General McNulta should be made president of the system.

"THE grocery 'nibblers' are a nuisance," said a well-known grocer yesterday. "I have no doubt I lose $1.50 to $2.00 per week by 'nibbling' or petty stealings of some people. They will help themselves to a peach, apple, bunch of grapes, or a banana, when in the store to make purchases; they run their hand into a cracker barrel, or extract a large lump of sugar when the lid is off the barrel. Then again is the pickle fiend, who takes one out of the barrel or winds up by eating some prunes or dried peaches. These "nibblers" are expensive, and we have as many as a dozen persons in a day sometimes who engage in their little petty larcenies."

To-Night.

W. J. Fleming and his troupe, on the trip "Around the World in 80 Days," arrived in the city this afternoon and will appear at the opera house to-night. The company is a good one and should have a large audience.

ANNUAL WESTERN TOUR

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Who will appear in a GRAND CONCERT, one night only.

Minnie Porter Baldwin	Soprano
Edna Louise Porter	Contralto
Maurice F. Baynes	Tenor
Will A. Baldwin	Barytone and Humorist
Marion Harter	Violinist

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M. F. Haynes ..... Business Manager
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(The KNABE Concert Grand Piano, from Messrs. Knabe & Co., Baltimore, is used by this company in all concerts.)

Opera House Monday Night, October 3d.

Prices of admission, 25, 50 and 75 cents. Selection of seats will be opened Saturday morning, Oct. 1st, at Prescott's music store.
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A Defeat for Logan County.

An opinion of special interest in Decatur has been filed by the Supreme court at Springfield. It is the case of the People etc., for the use of Logan county, against William Toomey et al. Toomey was county clerk of Logan county for a number of years, his term expiring Dec. 4, 1882. After his term had expired, and his successor had qualified and was acting as clerk, Toomey made out his bill for fees earned by him as clerk of the court on Dec. 2, and presented it to the board of supervisors Dec. 4. On Dec. 9 the amount of his bill so rendered by him for $2,133.78 was paid to him upon the order of the board of supervisors. The board afterward discovered Toomey was not entitled to the amount paid him in the settlement made at the December term, and suit was brought upon his official bond to recover from the sureties of Toomey the amount so paid him. The case was tried in Logan county circuit court, where a judgment was rendered against the county. Upon the appeal to the appellate court, third district, this judgment was affirmed and the case taken by the county to the Supreme court, where the judgment of the appellate court was affirmed:

The opinion of the court says "The board of supervisors has improperly and through a want of due care and prudence taken a sum of money out of the county treasury, which ought so have been allowed to stay there, and placed it in the hands of Toomey, who had no right to it, after the expiration of his term of office; and now that he refuses to pay back such obligation, the county of Logan seeks to collect it from those who were sureties on his official bond while he was in office. To enforce the collection from them under the circumstances would not be right."

That Drill.

Shortly after 12 o'clock to-day the broken drill was drawn out of the bottom of the Stare Brothers' natural gas well, where it has been lodged several weeks, putting a stop to all boring. Now that it is out of the way the operatives can go ahead with their work of searching for natural gas. The hole is now 150 feet deep. No further trouble is apprehended.

Sorry.

The Rev. James Miller goes to the First church in Decatur and takes with him the best wishes of all the good people of Danville. His removal from among us is a surprise to many. He was known to us as a polite gentleman and a good preacher. His sermons were instructive and eloquent, and yet so simple that a child could understand them. We regret his removal, and yet it is but the common fate of all who represent the great family of Methodist ministers.—*Danville News.*

ONE of the "fast mail" route agents on the Central road was a little too swift this forenoon when he threw the Decatur tie sack, containing all Chicago papers for this city, off at Maroa. The clerk must have been dreaming. As a penalty for the act he will probably get a day off without pay. Local newsdealers lost the sale of extra newspapers. Two hours later the papers came down on another train, but the bookstore men are still warm under the collar. It is not every Democratic mail clerk who is acquainted with the geography of the country.

News Around Home.

When Dr. Goodwin reached Jacksonville Monday night he found a letter offering him $150 a month for six months, or a year, if he would work for the prohibition party in Lower California. He has accepted and will begin his labors there about the 15th of October, having his home at Los Angeles. He will probably return to Illinois in the spring and spend six months in the same work here. Mrs. G. will go with him, and spend the winter among the fruits and flowers of Lower California.

The trustees of the Lincoln University (Cumberland Presbyterian), passed a rule prohibiting the ladies and gentlemen from attending the same societies. The students held an indignation meeting and attended the societies. Yesterday the trustees suspended seventy of the students, and many of them are leaving for other colleges. It is considered a bad move for the University, and unless compromised will injure the school for the coming season.

The members of a family with five generations living reside in Newman, Douglas county. Mrs. Margery Howard is 84 years old, is in robust health, and still does her own housework; her daughter, Mrs. Sarah Shute, is 66 years of age; her daughter, Mrs. Amy Hancock, 44 years old; her daughter, Mrs. Lulu F. Moffit, and her 10-weeks-old baby. The entire group were photographed last week.

A vigorous flow of natural gas has been obtained on the farm of Elmer Fisher, two miles northwest of Tolono, Champaign county, at a depth of about 100 feet below the surface.

A Bloomington man, while on his way to borrow his neighbor's paper, the other day, was struck by lightning and killed.

The State Fair.

The Illinois state fair is in full blast at Olney. Over two thousand entries were made on the first day. All of the 1,800 stalls and pens thought sufficient by the state board were filled early and 400 more have been finished since the opening day of the fair. The number of exhibits exceeds that of any year since the organization of the state fair association, and the standard of excellence equals that of any other state fair. The exhibitors are among the prominent stock raisers of the state and the premium takers of all the state fairs.

The members of the board are pleased beyond expression at the favorable outlook. The exhibits in all departments could not be better, and some of the officers say the fair will eclipse all former exhibitions. All that is required to make it a success is fine weather and a large attendance. The people of Olney have done more than was asked of them and considerably more than they agreed to do. The weather was very unfavorable on the first day of the fair. It has rained constantly from Monday morning.

The Clock Exhibition.

As a work of meretorious art, the great time indicator, opened last evening at 211 South Park street, near Water, is worth many times the price of admission. To see such a novel construction, so perfect and regular in its workings that men of large experience in mechanical work stand amazed and wonder, will fill a niche in one's mind with a thought that must last forever. Crowds of people called to see the wonder last evening, and were shown also the inside works, consisting of wires, cogs, images and, in fact, a book full of wonders. The proprietor said the doors will be open also from 2 to 4 in the afternoon to accommodate ladies and children. d1

PERSONAL MENTION.

Justice Stevens is home from St. Louis.

Capt. J. T. Bishop and John Kline got back from St. Louis last night.

Miss Hattie Mills returned to Springfield last evening.

Dr. Joseph Leslie and wife, of Elwin, were at the Hotel Brunswick yesterday.

D. W. Brenneman will return from Europe about October 10th.

Mrs. George Weyth, of Charleston, is a guest of J. N. Bills and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hurst, of Mechanicsburg, Pa., are in the city. They are guests of J. Proctor Eckels and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Alexander will be at home to friends at 542 West Prairie street on Fridays after October 7th.

Senator Johns and ex-Sheriff Foster were at Springfield on legal business last night.

Miss Ida Jones will return home from Denver, Col., in the course of a few weeks.

Misses Mary and Emma Ballou, of Crystal Lake, Ill., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. S. G. Hatch, at 431 West Main St.

Geo. Stoy, formerly of Decatur, now a resident of Kansas, came up from St. Louis last night to visit old friends.

F. N. Chapman and wife, of San Antonio, Texas, were at the St. Nicholas yesterday.

Charley Smith, Newman, Fisher, Snyder and Hill have been signed to play with the Champaign Clippers next season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Stauffer and daughter, Marguerite, of Dallas, Texas, arrived in the city yesterday in time for the Alexander-Strohm wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shockley, of Cincinnati, Ohio, who have been visiting D. C. Shockley and family, will return home this week.

Max Schultz and family have leased apartments in the Gallagher Block. Mr. S. is the traveling agent for the Lomax & Co. physicians' supply house, of Chicago.

Miss Maggie Thompson, daughter of A. T. Thompson, and Lewis B. Hall, will be married at the Methodist church at Mechanicsburg on the evening of Oct. 5.

Geo. P. Blume was in Chicago this week attending the great council of the order of Red Men of the state. He was elected one of the Grand Lodge officers.

Miss Ida Whitmer, daughter of Peter Whitmer, the banker, and Harry C. Hawk, of Kansas City, will be married at Bloomington October 20th.

S. T. Curtis, who has been in New York for six weeks visiting his father, has returned to the city. His father was not expected to live, but he is now out of danger.

John Ward is home from the encampment. He marched in the procession, and had the pleasure of meeting Captain Straight and 14 other members of his old company—E, 41st Regiment.

Mrs. James H. Robinson and Miss Sarah D. Robinson, well known in Bloomington social circles, are guests of Dr. and Mrs. Ira N. Barnes, at 438 West North street.

Davis B. Folrath, formerly with Ferriss & Co., and Miss Emma Chambers were married near Cerro Gordo Wednesday night. Mr. Folrath is in business at Cerro Gordo.

Winthrop Gastman will leave for Michigan University at Ann Arbor tonight, to resume his course of studies in the mechanical engineering department. This will be his second year at the University.

Hiram Johnson and his eldest son, Edward, are both down sick at their home, on West Decatur street. A week ago Mr. Johnson lost his youngest daughter by diphtheria.

Rev. Thomas B. Tait, of Niles, Ohio, is in the city on a visit to his brother, Mr. J. D. Tait. He is accompanied by his wife. Rev. Tait has been in the Methodist ministry over 40 years, but is not now on the active list.

D. C. Krone, of Montgomery, Kansas, called at this office to-day and renewed two subscriptions for the REPUBLICAN. Mr. K. was raised in this county, and is a son of the late Daniel Krone, of Long Creek. He is a veteran of Co. E, 41st Illinois Regiment, and has been attending the G. A. R. encampment at St. Louis.

Mrs. Angie F. Newman, of Lincoln, Neb., has been elected a delegate to the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Brooklyn, N. Y. She is the first lady thus honored. Out west they believe in giving the woman a chance. At the recent session of the Methodist lay conference in Decatur a Griggsville lady was chosen as lay alternate.

"A Parlor Match."

Hoyt's famous absurdity, "A Parlor Match," is to be produced at the opera house next Saturday evening. It will be a good show. The talent is first-class and is a family combination, with Evans & Hoey, the celebrated comedians, at its head. These two eccentric artists married sisters. Their wives are both of them as accomplished in the line of stage comedy as themselves. Their brother-in-law is treasurer of the company, and there is not a single feature about it that is not pure and healthful and pleasing. It is one of the funniest pieces on the road, produced by the funniest family extant. Bill Hoey's system of book-keeping with a piece of chalk is itself worth the price of admission, and there is no man living who can portray the oddities and characteristics of the genuine American tramp better than he. Those who feel that a hearty laugh is a good thing will not fail to see Evans & Hoey and Minnie French in "A Parlor Match."

MARRIED.

In Mt Zion township, September 28, by Rev. N. M. Baker, Samuel B. Waddorff, of Harristown, and Miss Hattie Henry, of Mt. Zion.

About 60 friends witnessed the ceremony, among them Mr. and Mrs D. N. Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Bendure, of Decatur. A splendid wedding repast was served. Mr and Mrs John A Henry are the parents of the happy bride, and the groom is a young farmer. Mr. and Mrs. Waddorff have gone to Cincinnati on a bridal tour.

Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at 1 p. m. to-day, received by G. C. Caldwell, agent of J. M Shaw & Co., Commission Merchants:

WHEAT—70½ Sept; 71 Oct; 73 Nov; 78⅝ May.

CORN—42⅞ Sept; 42⅝ Oct; 42⅝ Nov; 46¾ May.

OATS—25¾ Sept; 25⅞ Oct; 26⅛ Nov; 30 May.

PORK—$15.50 Sept; $15.50 Oct; $14.00 Nov.

LARD—$6.45 Sept; $6.47 Oct; $6.30 Nov.

RIBS—$7.75 Sept; $7.77 Oct; $7.50 Nov.

Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 18,000; prospects lower.

Cattle, 10,000; half natives; prospects about steady.

Our Lots—Wheat: Winter 28; Spring 69; Corn, 253; Oats, 141.

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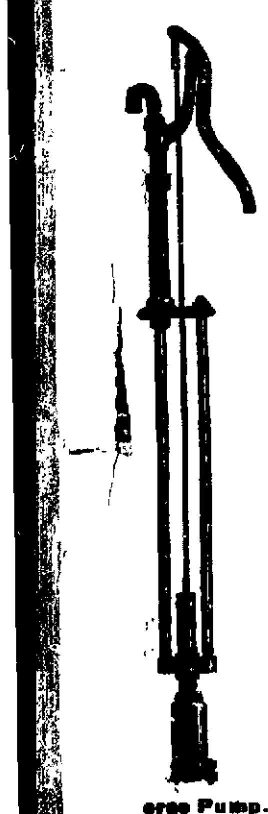

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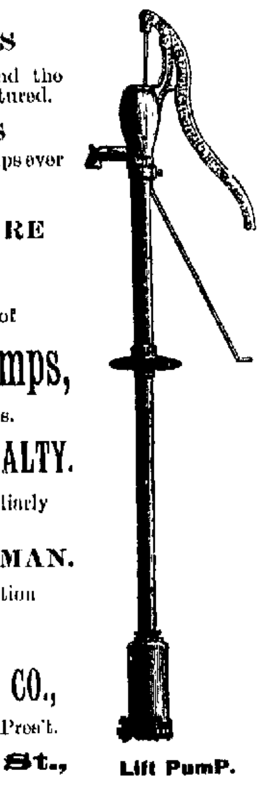

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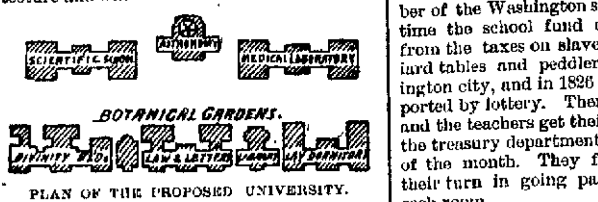
THE NEW CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY AND ITS PROSPECTS.

The Capital as an Educational Center. Georgetown College, the Howard University and Kendall Green—Tom Bayne Talks of Pittsburg's High Priced Men.

[Special Correspondence.]

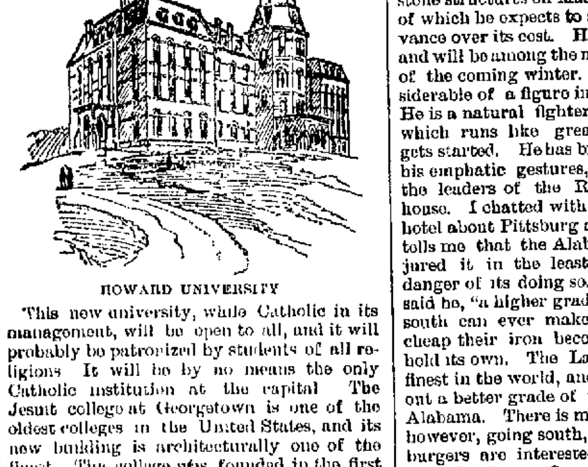
WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—The architect for the new Catholic university has been selected. The plans are already drawn, and the work of its erection will soon be begun. The university is to cost millions, and it will probably be the most complete educational institution in the United States. It is already largely endowed, and the plans indicate that no expense is to be spared in its construction. It is to comprise five large buildings, the first of which will be the Divinity building. This will cost $175,000. It will be five stories high, will be after the Romanesque style of architecture and will be built of brick and stone. It



PLAN OF THE PROPOSED UNIVERSITY.

will contain a library of 10,000 volumes, and will have a lecture room seating 300 persons. It will take from one to three years to erect the building, and after its completion it is supposed that the other buildings will be rapidly begun. One of the estimates of the total cost of the university is, I am told, $8,000,000, and the leading men of the church here say that it will have the finest professors in the world. It is to be located very near the Soldiers' home, and a better situation for a great school could not be found. The ground is high and a part of it overlooks the city. By the time it is built the university will have a close connection with the city by street or cable cars, and in addition to the advantages of the university itself the great scientific, literary and art collections of Washington will be opened to its students.

Washington is destined to become the educational center of the United States. It has already a number of schools and colleges, and there is no better place in the country for the study of science, medicine and the law. The largest medical library in the world is, I think, that of the surgeon general's office, and the largest general library in the United States is the library of congress at the Capitol. The scientific collections of the Smithsonian institution are surpassed nowhere in this country, and lectures on scientific subjects are given here free throughout the year. As to the law colleges of Washington, the most eminent lawyers of the country are here, and the best of these lecture to the students. The courts are of every kind, from the lowest to the highest, and the supreme court of the United States holds open sessions. The government scientists are often lecturers in the scientific branches of the great schools here, and the number of foreigners in Washington is so large that good French and German teachers are always to be found. Washington, in fact, is full of private schools for the teaching of the languages, and the city has more Americans who are conversant with the French and German than any other town of its size in the United States. As to American history and the study of the duties of an American citizen, Washington furnishes a splendid school, and no student could fail to profit by his contact here with public men and public questions. He could not fail to gain a general idea of the workings of the government, and would necessarily become posted on the great questions of the day



HOWARD UNIVERSITY

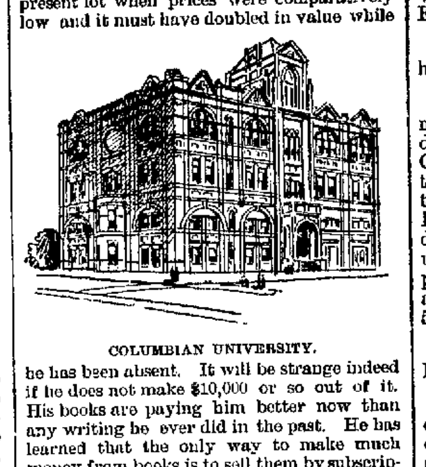
This new university, while Catholic in its management, will be open to all, and it will probably be patronized by students of all religions. It will be by no means the only Catholic institution at the capital. The Jesuit college at Georgetown is one of the oldest colleges in the United States, and its new building is architecturally one of the finest. This college was founded in the first year of Washington's presidency, and two years from now it will be 100 years old. Its college buildings are situated on a brow of a hill overlooking the Potomac, and the grounds cover more than 100 acres. It has an old library, which makes one think of the libraries of Oxford and Cambridge, and the old brick building, which was erected nearly 100 years ago out of imported bricks, still stands behind the new stone structure. It is in this building that the library is situated, and no one can fail to be impressed by walking through the alcoves which contain its 30,000 volumes. Among these are some of the rarest manuscripts in the country, and there are three which date back beyond A. D. 1400. One hundred of the volumes were printed between 1460 and 1520, and the shelves contain many rare and curious works. Just below this university is the Georgetown convent, one of the noted female seminaries of the Catholic church, and beside it is the Georgetown academy. In these schools many of the fashionable society ladies of Washington were educated, and they are seldom without the daughters of many public men among their pupils. The Catholic society of Washington is a large and fashionable one. The majority of the diplomats attend the Catholic church. Gen. Sheridan is a Catholic, Mrs. Gen Sherman is a member of St. Matthew's, and Mrs. Admiral Dahlgren is one of the leaders of the Catholic society of Washington. There are twelve Catholic churches here, and one of these is colored.

Washington has one of the most noted colored colleges of the country, and it has one of the most noted deaf and dumb schools in the world. The Howard university, devoted to the education of the colored race, has now about 300 students, and its extensive grounds, by the rapid increase of suburban values in Washington, make it wealthy. It has a big building and it has schools of theology, medicine and law, beside its collegiate department. It admits both sexes, and it turns out some very able graduates. The National Deaf Mute college I visited last when Queen Kapiolani was here. It has a magnificent building covering nearly half an acre, and it is under the charge of Mr. Gallaudet, one of the most noted teachers of the deaf and dumb in the world. The grounds about it are known as Kendall Green, and the college is located on what was previously the home of Amos Kendall, the man who acted as the Dan Lamont of Andrew Jackson, though he was not his private secretary, and who was once postmaster general of the United States.

The Columbian university is another leading educational institution at Washington. Its students are white, and it has a very fine building within a stone's throw of the treasury department and the White House, and in the most fashionable quarter of the city. It has a medical school building on H street, which was erected for it by Mr. Corcoran, at a cost of $40,000, and its law school is held in the university building.

The public schools of Washington are also very fine. The colored and white scholars have different buildings, and in many of the buildings the sexes are separated. It costs Washington from between a quarter to a half million of dollars a year for its schools, and about one-third of this is set apart for the colored schools. The school buildings are among the finest in the United States, and the Franklin school building, on Franklin square, took a medal at the Vienna exposition, being one of the finest school buildings in the world. The Jefferson school building will accommodate 1,200 pupils, and it is named after President Jefferson, who was, just before his presidency, a member of the Washington school board. At this time the school fund of Washington came from the taxes on slaves, dogs, liquors, billiard tables and peddlers, as levied in Washington city, and in 1826 the schools were supported by lottery. There is now a school tax, and the teachers get their salaries by going to the treasury department for them at the last of the month. They form in line and take their turn in going past the window of the cash room.

The Hon. Sam Cox is in the city looking after his new house. This is being built within a stone's throw of Blaine's big mansion and just next the one he sold before he went to Turkey. He says he expects to sell this after taking the trouble of building it. I doubt not that he will do so and that he will make a nice little sum from it. He is a thrifty fellow, this humorous statesman, and of late everything that he has been touching seems to have turned into gold. I don't mean in a large way, but in a very comfortable way. His other house cost him $30,000. He sold it for $50,000 cash after holding it not more than a year or so. He bought his present lot when prices were comparatively low and it must have doubled in value while



COLUMBIAN UNIVERSITY.

he has been absent. It will be strange indeed if he does not make $10,000 or so out of it. His books are paying him better now than any writing he ever did in the past. He has learned that the only way to make much money from books is to sell them by subscription, and his "Diversions of a Diplomat" are to be sold in this way. His publishers are the same as those who made $1,000,000 out of Grant's book, and Mr. Cox will be satisfied if they do one-tenth as well by him. His political book brought him in between $12,000 and $15,000, and I have heard it whispered that he got fully this much for the "Diversions of a Diplomat" as a cash payment, and that he is to get a royalty as well. I imagine this is more than he made from his other books of foreign travel, though I understand that his "Why We Laugh" continues to bring him in a little pin money.

Col. Tom Bayne, of Pittsburg, is another statesman who is here attending to house building. Bayne is putting up two very fine stone structures on Massachusetts avenue, one of which he expects to sell at a handsome advance over its cost. He will live in the other and will be among the millionaire entertainers of the coming winter. Bayne will cut considerable of a figure in the coming congress. He is a natural fighter and he has a tongue which runs like greased lightning when it gets started. He has brains, however, to back his emphatic gestures, and he will be one of the leaders of the Republican side of the house. I chatted with him at the Arlington hotel about Pittsburg and its prosperity. He tells me that the Alabama boom has not injured it in the least, and that there is no danger of its doing so. "We manufacture," said he, "a higher grade of iron ore than the south can ever make, and no matter how cheap their iron becomes, ours will always hold its own. The Lake Superior ore is the finest in the world, and it will always turn out a better grade of iron and steel than the Alabama. There is much Pittsburg money, however, going south, and a number of Pittsburgers are interested in the various manufactories there. Our natural gas is adding a great deal to the quality of our iron, and we are going to be able to make the best cannon in the world."

"How so?" I asked.

"By natural gas," replied Col. Bayne, "we are able to distribute our heat over a large surface in such a way that we can produce a much better quality of iron than can be made by the old methods. Our cannon will be stronger than those made anywhere else, and Pittsburg will be eventually the cannon foundry of the world.

"We expect to make the best glass in the world through the aid of this gas, and we get through it a purer heat than has ever been gotten before. Pittsburg is growing very fast. Allegheny county has, I should judge, about 400,000 people, and its industries grow right along."

NATIONAL DEAF MUTES' COLLEGE.

"Pittsburg paid out in wages in 1880 $22,000,000," Col. Bayne continued, "and I am sure that it pays out at least $32,000,000 a year now. We have a number of high priced men among our laborers, and the skilled men in the foundries get $5, $10 and $15 a day. There are 1,000 men, I should judge, in Pittsburg who receive at least $5,000 a year salaries, and Andrew Carnegie has one foreman whom he pays $25,000 a year."

"Then I suppose that Pittsburg employers deal very fairly with their employes."

"I think they do. The majority of our rich men—and we have a number of them—are men who have made their own money. They have worked their way up to their present positions by brains and muscle, and they know how to appreciate their laborers from having ... the same places themselves."

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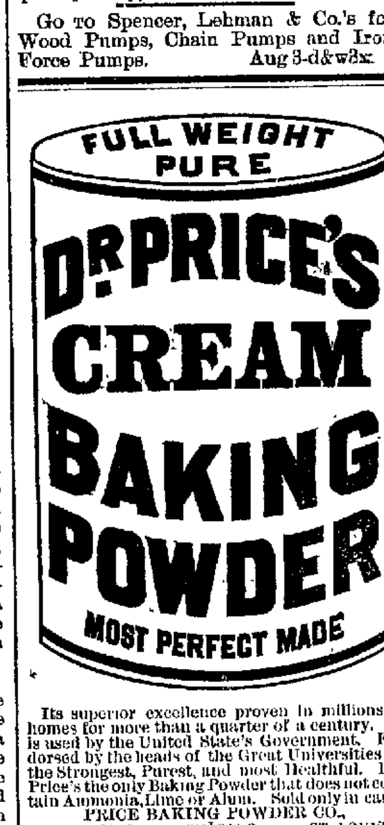

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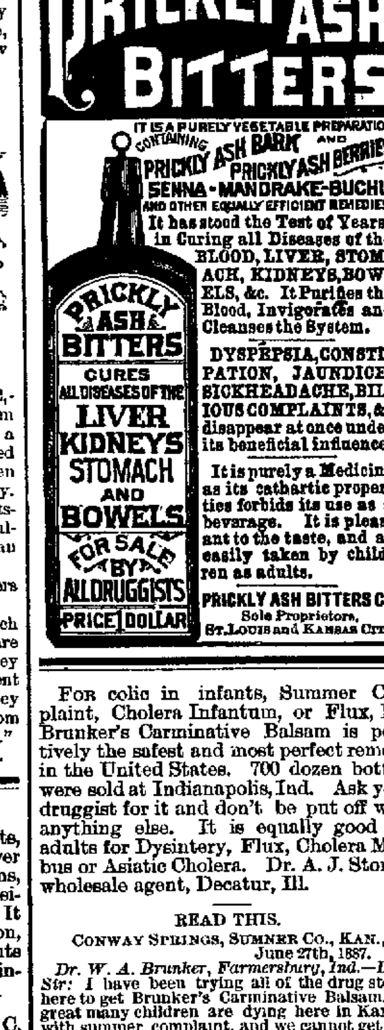

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Should you overlook or neglect the opportunity of obtaining help for your eyes this time, during the remaining visit of Dr. Lewin. It is a fact that those organs of the human system most sadly neglected are the organs of sight, to which neglect may be attributed the difficult task of obtaining glasses to suit the sight, and which accounts for the horrible contrivances and combinations brought into requisition and consequently different descriptions of people, who deplore their misfortune when too late. Therefore, make good this golden opportunity and call without delay on Dr. Lewin, who is enabled in an instant, as if by magic, to tell you any ailment of your failing vision, point out the cause and adapt brilliant glasses peculiarly ground to suit every defect of the eye, which will aid in restoring and strengthening the eyesight of the young and old.

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If you have lost an eye by accident, or by disease call on the Doctor and he will insert an artificial one, which looks and moves like the natural one and will improve your looks.

A special careful Opthalmoscopic examination will be given to people to ascertain if they have *Eyes with different focus.*

A cordial invitation is extended to physicians to visit me at my office.

The Doctor comes highly recommended by prominent business men, lawyers, physicians and occulists all over the country. Following are a few of the many testimonials he receives every day:

RECOMMENDATIONS.

Rev. Dr. T. A. Parker, Presiding Elder of the M. E. Church, says: "Having been fitted with glasses by Dr. Lewin, I take pleasure in recommending him as accurate and skillful. T. A. PARKER

CHAMPAIGN, ILL., Nov. 4, 1886.

I also refer to Rev. Best, Rev. H. Strohlow, Rev. W. Dresser, Rev. G. McKinsley, Hon. H. F. Sperry, Frank Wilcox, A. Harwood, of Champaign, Ill.; Hon. S. B. Radebough, G. W. Porter, J. Baldwin, Superintendent of the I., B. & W. R'y, Urbana, Ill.; Dr. Eugene Head, Hon. A. Charles Walker, of Carlinville, Ill.; Dr. J. S. Miles, Dr. E. Barry, Hon. J. M. Page, of Jerseyville, Ill.

The Doctor can be consulted,

FREE OF CHARGE,

from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., at the St. Nicholas Hotel. The Doctor can be consulted in English, German, French and Hollandish. Calls made free of charge inside of the corporation, if requested. I employ no agents.

HOME TESTIMONIALS.

I recommend Dr. Lewin to all afflicted with defective sight. DR. J. C. CAPPS, M. D. Decatur, Ill., Sept. 17th, 1887

It gives me pleasure to say that I have examined the large and rare assortment of lenses and optical instruments for correcting defective vision, and believe from my interview with Dr. Lewin, that he is thoroughly qualified in his profession to relieve application of glasses and as that cheerfully indorse him. A. J. STONER, M. D

Decatur, Ill. Sept. 22d, 1887.

With pleasure do I recommend Dr. W. Lewin to any one with defective vision, as I believe him to be a skillful and scientific optician. A. J. ROE, M. D

Decatur, Ill., Sept. 22, 1887.

After wearing glasses fitted by Dr. Lewin, the optician, at the St. Nicholas Hotel, I cheerfully state that the same are very satisfactory, and I ... the Doctor to my friends and to the ... MRS. B. SEEFORTH ... 29th.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Walker Bros., and against T. E. Atteberry, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The undivided one-fourth (¼) interest, subject to life estate of Milla Atteberry, in the northwest quarter, and the north half of the southwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter—all of the above described property being in section No. thirteen (13), township fourteen (14), range two (2) east of the 3rd Principal Meridian in Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said T. E. Atteberry, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1887, at the hour of two (2) o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 6th day September, A. D. 1887.
JOHN H. MAUZY,
sep6-dtd Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of William Ellis, and against John Trainer and Emily V. Trainer, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: The southwest quarter of the northeast quarter, and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, and part of the northwest quarter—all in section No. twenty (20), township fifteen (15), range one (1) east of the 3rd principal Meridian (containing 143 and 33-100ths acres) in Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said Emily V. Trainer, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 28th day of September, A. D. 1887, at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 6th day of September, A. D. 1887.
JOHN H. MAUZY,
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